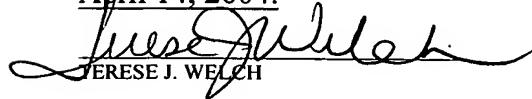




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EXAMINER: UNKNOWN

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REQUEST FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION

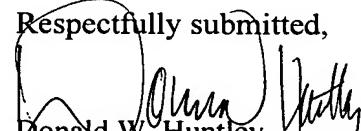
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